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PREVENTING ISCHEMIA-INDUCED CELL DAMAGE

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RESPONSE

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Sir:

This response is in reply to the office action dated February 2, 2006 (the "Office Action"), in the above-identified application, with a one month shortened statutory period, making a response due on or before March 2, 2006.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.